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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

The Japanese have sent a squadron of fast cruisers and torpedo boats to head off and destroy or cripple Nebogatoff's squadron before it can form a junction with Rojestvensky's fleet; Rojestvensky has gone to the rescue; the Japanese are deeply resentful about the freedom which is allowed the Russian warships in French territorial ports——The crisis in the Chicago strike is expected to-day when the retail merchants expect to send out 1,100 wagons to deliver goods; as many armed deputies as possible will accompany the wagons, and if the police and deputies fail to preserve order troops will be promptly called out——Nan Patterson was yesterday so much recovered from her collapse that she read numerous letters telling her to be game to the last; she may be released on bail Monday——Bradstreet's weekly report hsows that bank clearings have been next to the largest on record and that there have been less failures——At Pensacola, Fla., yesterday an Indianapolis man was fined and paid $1,000 for conducting a gambling room——The blacksmiths of the Norfolk and Western Railroad went on strike yesterday leaving one non-union man, who is the cause of dissatisfaction——New York Markets: Money on call easier 1 1-2 to 3 per cent., closing bid 1 1-2, offered at 1 3-4; cotton, spot steady, 7.95; flour steady with moderate trade; wheat steady, No. 2 red, 91 3-8; corn firm, No. 2, 56; oats firm, No. 2 mixed, 34 1-2 to 35; turpentine quiet and steady, 59 1-2 to 60; rosin quiet.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture,
Weather Bureau,
Wilmington, N. C., May 5, 1905.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. yesterday.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 71 degrees; 8 P. M., 69 degrees; Maximum, 78 degrees; Minimum, 64 degrees; Mean, 71 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 2.30.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. yesday (Thursday), 6.4 feet.

PORT ALMANAC—MAY 6.

Sun Rises	5:03 A. M.
Sun Sets	6:50 P. M.
Days' Length	13h., 37 m.
High Water at Southport	9:04 P. M.
High Water at Wilmington	11:34 P. M.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Showers and thunder storms Saturday and Sunday; light south winds.

A Philadelphia girl sued a man and got $10,000 because he kissed her without her consent. It does happen now and then that a man can kiss amiss as well as kiss a miss.

Cousin John Sharp Williams is after Senator Money's seat. We hope he will be able to pull the plum without trying to convince the Mississippians that they had better keep their Money at home and beyond the tainting whirl at Washington.

Dr. Arnold of New Haven, has made this declaration: "Women are far less graceful than men." The man who turns out to be such a graceless knocker as that opens himself up to the suspicion that he has passed the age limit or had a run of hard luck in his love scrapes.

Says the Boston Globe: "The immigrants who come to this country with a determination to work and work hard and to save money and deny themselves luxuries until they can afford them are pretty sure to succeed. All others will fail to achieve success." We don't see what's the matter with handing out this as good advice to the natives also.

When the government owns and runs everything, who is going to be the arbitrator if its workmen go on a strike? Oh, we forget. There will be no strikes, for the government employes will have so many votes to give there will not be any provocation for the government (i. e: the officeholders) to resist any demands made by people who've got the goods to deliver.

The Philadelphia Record notes: "According to our consular reports they are building in Europe more and more glass houses both for dwellings and for business purposes." Most people will be surprised to know that there are actually houses of glass instead of the figurative ones that some people live in under those rules and regulations making it dangerous to throw stones.

The Raleigh News and Observer says: "Is there no remedy for those growers of strawberries who cannot get refrigerator cars for their crop? If there is no remedy, there ought to be one. Refrigerator companies ought to be forced to supply the demand or give way for a company that will prevent disaster to truckers." We rather suspect that the demand for refrigerator cars is greater than the supply. What is the matter with organizing one of your "private car companies "here in North Carolina to get our products to market?

LOCAL DOTS.

—Other Local on Fourth Page.

—There were sales of rosin after hours yesterday at $2.80 per barrel.

—The schooner Adelia T. Carleton arrived yesterday from New York with cargo of cement, which is being discharged at Fort Caswell.

—The Board of Audit and Finance will meet early next week to pass upon bonds of the new city officials and to consider the matter of expense of the recent primary.

—The cotton market yesterday was a trifle stronger. Local receipts were 1,646 bales, most of which came in over the W. C., & A. railroad. Not a single bale was received the same day last season.

—The Star has received with the compliments of Mr. William H. Oliver, of Newbern, a photograph of the decoration of the chancel of Christ church on Easter Sunday last, with a memorial to the Rt. Rev. Alfred Augustin Watson, Bishop of the Diocese of East Carolina.

—Fayetteville Observer: "Wyndhurst," the beautiful colonial home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Williamson, on Haymount, was the scene last evening of a brilliant assemblage of guests in honor of Mrs. J. Walter Williamson, of Wilmington, and Mrs. Wm. J. Martin, of Davidson."

—Reidsville correspondence, Charlotte Observer: "Rev. Fred D. Hale, of Wilmington, is assisting Pastor Bradshaw in a series of revival services at the First Baptist church. Dr. Hale is one of the State's most able divines and large congregations are availing themselves of an opportunity to hear the excellent discourses."

JUSTICE JNO. J. FURLONG.

Retiring Chief of Police Opened Magisterial Office Yesterday.

Hundreds of friends of Justice of the Peace John J. Furlong, retiring chief of police, will be interested and pleased to know that he will in a measure remain in public life, having on yesterday succeeded to the magisterial office of Justice John J. Fowler, who gives up his former position to become City Clerk and Treasurer. Justice Furlong, for the present at least, will continue to occupy the office of Justice Fowler and will give his entire time to the duties of an active magistrate and notary public, attending to both civil and criminal matters.

Capt. Furlong, for a period of six or eight years, has been intimately connected with magisterial affairs and is thoroughly conversant with every detail of his new work. This experience along with his personal popularity and good judgment will ensure for his new venture a success, which he abundantly deserves.

Justice Fowler in retiring from the office of magistrate very graciously tendered his successor the good will and all other appurtenances of the office with his very best wishes.

Mr. Geo. Hashagen Here.

Mr. George Hashagen, well and favorably known to many people here and a brother of Wilmington's esteemed townsman, Mr. Fred E. Hashagen, arrived Thursday night from South Dakota and will spend some time in the city for his health. Mr. Hashagen had not been to Wilmington before for any length of time in 25 years and spoke in the highest terms of the many improvements noted. He has grown up in the Weather Bureau service of the United States government and recently resigned a position in South Dakota to come here. He has served at many important stations, including New York, St. Paul, Detroit and Minneapolis. During his 25 years of service he ascended the top notch in the service and it was with regret that the Department gave him up.

Car Smashed Into Wagon.

Northbound street car No. 15, of the Consolidated Company, in charge of Motorman C. T. Croom and Conductor Ben Horne, ran into one of the heavy two-horse wagons of the Consumer's Ice Co., at Front and Dock streets early last night, partially demolishing the rear of the wagon and smashing the fender of the car. Jim Hayes, colored, driver of the wagon, was pitched forward on the tongue of the wagon but escaped with slight bruises. Neither of the mules was hurt, having just cleared the track as the car dashed into the rear of the wagon as it was passing across the track. It was reported that a pedestrian was hurt by having the wagon thrown against him but the report could not be verified.

Bouquet From Ladies.

Just before the Board of Aldermen met yesterday morning a pleasing little incident of the change of city administrations took place when Mr. Calhoun Bordeaux stepped forward and laid upon Mayor Waddell's desk a bouquet of beautiful flowers. "These are from the ladies of First Ward, Colonel," Mr. Bordeaux explained, "take them as a mark of our appreciation and may the Lord bless you." Colonel Waddell was very grateful for the expression of kindness conveyed in the gift and so expressed himself through Mr. Bordeaux.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

At Farris'—The Best Ice Cream.

Sam'l Bear, Sr. & Sons—Field Peas.

C. R., L. & P. Co.—Cars to the Beach.

Warren's Steam Bakery—Ice Cream and Cake.

E. Warren & Son—Orignal Ice Cream Makers.

PATRIOTIC JUNIORS

Bible and Flag Presented to Wilmington High School by Jr. O. U. A. M.

COURT HOUSE LAST NIGHT

Address By State Councilor Z. P. Smith—William J. Bellamy, Esq., Master of Ceremonies—Acceptance By Mr. Hamilton.

Although interest in the approach of the event had been overshadowed to a large extent by the municipal imbroglio, there was a fairly good attendance last night upon interesting exercises in the Court House, marking the presentation by the Jr. O. U. A. M. of a handsome Bible and flag to the Wilmington High School, according to the patriotic custom of the order all over the world. In the audience were both ladies and gentlemen who thoroughly enjoyed every feature of the delightful exercises.

William J. Bellamy, Esq., was master of ceremonies for the evening and presided with becoming dignity. In flattering terms he introduced the speaker of the evening, Col. Z. P. Smith, State Councilor and editor of The American, the national organ of the order in the United States. Col. Smith was at his best and spoke for an hour and a half, eloquently and entertainingly. His review of the scope and work of the order, its staunch tenets and the good it has accomplished, was most interesting, especially to the "Juniors" and the Daughters of Liberty, who made up a large part of the audience.

In behalf of Jeff Davis and George Washington councils, of the order in Wilmington, Col. Smith gracefully presented the gifts. They were accepted in a neat speech of appreciation by Mr. J. G. deRoulhac Hamilton, principal of the High School, who conveyed the greetings of the boys and girls under his charge to the patriotic men and women, nobly inspired in making the presents.

The Bible and flag formally presented to the school will be conveyed to the building on Tuesday of next week and appropriate exercises will mark the hoisting of the stars and stripes on a tall flag-pole which has already been erected on the grounds. The hour will be 12:30 o'clock in the day and the pupils of both Hemenway and Union schools are expected to be present to take part in the ceremonies, the programme of which will be published later.

After the meeting last night the Juniors of both councils repaired to the hall of George Washington Council, on South Front street, where an elegant repast was served to the delight of every one.

The joint committee from the two councils in charge of the affair was composed of Mr. John E. Wood, chairman; Dr. J. D. Webster, secretary; Messrs. E. C. Woodberry, J. L. King, Marsden Bellamy, Jr., H. W. Howell, C. R. Anderson and John J. Fowler.

L'ARIOSO CLUB GERMAN.

Delightful Favor Dance Last Night in Masonic Temple.

L'Ariosa German Club last night gave a delightful favor german in the Masonic Temple, the last for the present season and one of the prettiest of the year. About fifty couples participated and thoroughly enjoyed the occasion. The decorations were very pretty. The music was by Hollowbush's Orchestra and the figures were led by Mr. Clayton Giles, Jr. The following were among those present:

Miss Seabreaze, Mr. Clayton Giles, Jr., Miss Ida Brown, Mr. R. A. Williams; Miss Lucile Muchison, Mr. A. S. Williams; Miss Elovina Burruss, Mr. H. Lacy Hunt; Miss Bessie Gore, Mr. W. G. W. Kraft; Miss Mary Calder, Mr. Milton Calder; Miss Mildred Davis, Mr. C. Lewis; Miss Beulah Armstrong, Mr. W. M. Bellamy; Miss Nellie Emerson, Mr. C. Van Leuven; Miss Short, Mr. Rapalze; Miss Emma West, Dr. Thos. M. Green; Miss Anita DeRosset, Mr. E. S. Nash; Mr. George L. Peschau, Mr. Henry B. Peschau; Miss Janie Williams, Mr. H. DeL. Southerland; Miss Hitch, of Norfolk, Va., Dr. Pride Jones Thomas; Miss Isabelle Rountree, Mr. Thos. B. Willard, Miss Mears, Mr. Eugene M. Berry; Miss Ida Randolph, Mr. R. H. Bradley; Miss Elliott Emerson, Mr. John Jay Blair; Miss Madeline DeRosset, Mr. John Hill Bunting; Miss Nepple Borden, Capt. C. McD. Davis; Miss Archer, Mr. Platt W. Davis; Miss Laura Clark, Mr. F. S. Dupre; Miss Beaufort, of Virginia, Mr. Thos. H. Wright; Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Gwaltney, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Grainger, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kenly, Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Lord Myers.

Patronesses—Mesdames G. Herbert Smith, George Rountree Clayton Giles, John D. Bellamy, Hugh MacRae, D. H. Lippitt and W. A. Dick.

Negroes Walked Out.

Because Foreman J. W. Blake, of the Angola Lumber Co., dealt summary punishment to one of their number who was insolent and refused to work, a gang of about thirty-five negro laborers at the mill, threw down their implements and quit work. Mr. Blake struck the negro with a piece of scantling and at once came down town and surrendered himself for trial to Justice Bornemann, who heard the case at 5 o'clock and reserved his decision until to-day, recognizing the defendant for his appearance.

—"The Tarry Moore" is the name decided upon for Mr. W. J. Moore's new hotel on Wrightsville Beach. The name was submitted by Mrs. B. C. Moore, of this city, who secured the prize of $5, coined from North Carolina gold, offered in the popular contest for a name for the new hostelry.

STRAWBERRY MOVEMENT

Sensational Rumor Regarding Refusal of Pennsylvania System to Handle Further Perishable Shipments.

An interesting and most sensational report gained currency on the streets last night—one, which, if true, would paralyze for the present, the trucking industry throughout Eastern North Carolina and the territory further south. The report was that the Pennsylvania railroad system, suffering from a congestion of traffic on its lines, had issued a preemptory order to the Armour Refrigerator Line that no more perishable freight would be received for shipment from the South until traffic conditions had been somewhat relieved.

Inquiry at the local office of the Armour Line failed to get a denial or affirmation of the rumor last night. General Manager W. N. Royal, of the Atlantic Coast Line, when asked about the matter late last night, said he knew of no such order. Shipments were going forward as usual and the rumor was apparently a mistake.

A. P. Miaylag, Esq., attorney for the Armour people, has been in the city a day or two looking after claims of growers against the refrigerator car company, but his presence here could not have anything possible to do with the order by the Pennsylvania company. There were no general complaints from the trucking section yesterday with refernce to shortage of cars.

The refrigerator car shortage in the strawberry belt was greatly relieved yesterday, the offerings for shipment having been comparatively light on account of the two days of rain. Ninety car loads of berries and about 3,000 crates by express passed through the junction office at South Rocky Mount yesterday. The distribution of the shipments was as follows:

Through Mocky Mt. Yesterday.

Boston	18
New York	12
Pittsburg	12
Philadelphia	6
Buffalo	5
Worcester	5
Providence	4
Hartford	3
Springfield	2
Scranton	2
Elmira	2
Erie	2
North Adams, New Bedford, Fall River, Montreal, Portland, Utica, Hornellsville, Troy, Rochester, Albany, Ithaca, Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati, Ottowa, Wheeling and Syracuse, one each	17
Total	90

THIS IS "AMATEURS' NIGHT."

Davis-Driscoll Company Affords a Novelty at the Theatre.

"The Evil Men Do" was given a first-class production at the Academy last evening by the Davis-Driscoll Company, which has scored a success in standard repertoire here during the present week. The company closes its engagement with matinee and night performances to-day. At the matinee an old favorite "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" will be given a realistic production and to-night the sensational "Jessie James" will hold the boards. While the piece will appeal in no uncertain way to the "gallery gods," other theatre-goers will find something of intense interest in an amateur's contest for three cash prizes offered by the company. Half dozen or more local artists will go on for a "skit" and the relative merits of the contestants will be judged and the prizes awarded by the measure of applause each receives from the audience.

Wilmingtonian Honored.

Alex. M. McClure, Esq., a former young Wilmingtonian who is now a member of the Louisville (Ky) bar, has been honored by Gen. Bennett H. Young, general chairman, with appointment on the parade committee for the great reunion of United Confederate Veterans in Louisville in June. Mr. McClure will have the especial care of the North Carolina Division, U. C. V., in the parade, and that is a sufficient guarantee that the veterans in gray from the Old North State will be well looked after. In this connection it will be gratifying news to Mr. McClure's friends in Wilmington to know that he is pushing to the front in his chosen profession and that he is well pleased with his location.

Tar Heel Steamboat Co.

Elizabethtown, N. C., correspondence: "The Tar Heel Steamboat Company, of this place, is now operating the steamer Tar Heel from Fayetteville to Wilmington and has purchased the steamer A. P. Hurt, which they will thoroughly overhaul and rebuild in time to start out in the early Fall. This company was organized fifteen months ago by shippers on the Cape Fear river, and has been remarkably successful having declared an annual dividend of 25 per cent., and stock is worth 200 now."

Mayor's First Court.

Mayor Waddell held his first session of the police court yesterday, Sergeant B. R. King acting as clerk. There were four defendants for trial. Lillie Blount, colored, an old offender, was fined $10 and costs for disorderly conduct. Benj. Williams, colored, was charged with throwing a ball in the streets. The matter was trifling and Williams was discharged. Charles Rackley, colored, was charged with disorderly conduct and was fined $10 including costs. Alice Dixon, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was fined $5 including costs.

Real Comfort.

In hot weather can be had only by means of electric fans. Order one now. **

NEW GOVERNMENT

List of All Officers and Employes Completed by Board of Aldermen Yesterday

THINGS BECOMING NORMAL

Ex-Mayor John J. Fowler, City Clerk Treasurer—Few Changes in Police and None in Fire Department—Meeting of Board.

All department officials and employes of the city were elected at a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen at 10 o'clock yesterday morning and governmental affairs, at least so far as Wilmington is concerned, are now running along smoothly. The police chief and city attorney were elected at the special meeting Thursday afternoon and following the joint caucus the same night, the list of everything was completed yesterday morning. The notable selections were Ex-Mayor John J. Fowler, clerk and treasurer; Col. C. H. White, assistant city clerk and treasurer; Mr. R. T. Pickett, superintendent of streets; Dr. Charles T. Harper, superintendent of health; Sergeant George W. Smith, police captain; Messrs. C. W. Woolard, B. R. King, J. R. Hardee and C. S. Burnett, police sergeants. Alderman Martin O'Brien was chosen Mayor pro tem. Except for the promotions and the non-election of Desk Sergeant George H. Ward few changes were made in the police department and not a single change was made in the excellent Fire Department. All the new officers have entered upon the duties of their several offices and once again things are normal around the City Hall.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Waddell a few minutes after 10 o'clock yesterday morning and each of the ten Aldermen was in his seat. City Clerk and Treasurer B. F. King kept a record of the proceedings. Mr. Karr moved that the Board enter at once upon the election of all officers The motion was unanimously carried upon second of Mr. Brown. It was at once seen that everything had been agreed upon at the four hour's caucus the night before and that it was simply a question of reading the names and ratifying what had been done. Mr. W. W. King read the caucus nominees from a sheet of paper which he held in his hand and it was a question of only a few minutes to complete the roster. The crowd of spectators was not nearly so large as on the day before.

Alderman Martin O'Brien was unanimously chosen Mayor pro tem. Then followed the election of ex-Mayor Fowler and Col. White. When the name of Mr. R. T. Pickett, for superintendent of streets, was called, Alderman W. H. Yopp said he had been excused from voting on that official in caucus and he would ask the same privilege on open board or would have his vote recorded under protest. He would never vote a competent man out of office for another man less qualified to fill the position. Mr. Pickett was, however, elected without a dissenting vote. Names of the present street force were also called and each was elected unanimously. Other officials and employes were named as follows:

Police Department.

Captain—Geo. W. Smith.
First Sergeant—C. W. Woolard.
Second Sergeant—B. R. King.
Third Sergeant—J. R. Hardee.
Fourth Sergeant—C. S. Burnett.
Privates—C. E. Wood, I. F. Huggins, W. C. Moore, E. L. Smith, H. W. Howell, ... D. Smith, W. F. Craig, M. C. Gray, H. P. Merritt, Alex. Wells, E. J. Grimsley, E. Skipper, E. R. Chadwick, Leon George, G. R. Holt, J. J. Moore, M. A. Jones, W. J. Howard, T. G. Evans, John Meier, J. F. Smith, J. B. Farrow, D. W. Willis, R. L. Truelove, J. R. Minshew, A. D. Woolard, M. P. Newton, W. M. Harris, W. R. Appleberry. Janitors, J. H. Dew and L. F. Harper. First Substitute, Ira W. Skipper.

Fire Department.

Chief—Charles Schnibben.
Assistant Chief—W. P. Monroe.
Superintendent of Alarm—John T. Yates.
Chemical Engine Co. No. 1.—Peter N. Fick, foreman; H. L. Kidd, W. P. Duncan, W. B. Carroll.
Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1.—W. P. Monroe, Foreman; W. Runge, A. D. Byrd, J. M. Jones, E. L. Burriss, A. J. Burriss, O. L. Wells.
Engine Co. No. 1.—Jno. N. Mohr, foreman; B. R. Russell, T. B. Jackson, A. J. Burriss, S. A. Nichols, J. H. Litgen, W. H. Kermon, R. F. Thompson.
Engine Co. No 2.—W. A. Canady, foreman; M. H. Bryant, Jas. Walton, R. C. Smith, E. A. Hughes, F. F. Zellers.
Hose Co. No. 3.—L. Freimuth, foreman; C. H. Tatum; G. G. Smith, C. N. Brewer, J. F. Keyes, J. C. Justice.

Health Department.

Superintendent—Dr. C. T. Harper.
Health Officers.—T. E. Davis, C. I. Shepard and J. H. Holton.
Chief Quarantine Officer and City Detective—Captain Robert Green.

The Markets.

Clerk, Front Street Market—Capt. T. H. Johnson.
Clerk, Fourth Street Market—Josiah Cumber.
Clerk, Fifth Street Market—O. H. Kennedy.
Janitor, Front Street Market—Marsh Walker.

Miscellaneous.

City Engineer—P. Matthew.
Standard Keeper—G. C. Simmons.
Cattle Weigher—S. L. Yopp.
Mayor's Messenger—Melvin Middleton.
Rock Weigher—C. H. Ward.
Superintendent of Slop Carts—L. M. Bryant.

The New Government.

Sergeant B. R. King will be the regular day sergeant and will act in the capacity of clerk of the police court, succeeding Sergeant Geo. H. Ward, retired. Sergeant J. R. Hardee's place on the force is taken by Health Officer D. W. Willis, the only new man in the department, and he has had considerable police experience before. It is not known if Chief Williams contemplates any radical changes in the executive control of the department. Any recommendations he has to make will, of course, be through the Police Committee. Chief Williams filed his bond yesterday in the sum of $1,000 with Messrs. James F. Woolvin and L. W. Davis as sureties.

In reading out the names of department officials for election yesterday Alderman King stated that it had been agreed to elect the Fire Department and the street force as a whole and if there were any changes to be made the respective committees having in charge those departments would recommend them.

While the personnel of the police force practically remains the same, as applied to the ranks of the privates, it is understood that the Police Committee is to look over the ground and see if any changes are necessary; also the Committee will inquire into the recent charge made by the grand jury that incompetent men are retained in the service.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Geo. Poindexter, of Raleigh, is a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. L. J. Copeland, of Edenton, N. C., is a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. John Wilks and wife, of Lumberton, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. B. L. Culbreth, of Dunn, N. C., is in the city on a business trip and was a pleasant caller at the Star office last night.

—Editor J. P. Pittman, of the Dunn Guide, is in the city on a business trip and favored the Star office with a very pleasant call last evening.

—Mr. J. W. Collins, of Armour, N. C., who was recently the defendant in the sensational murder trial at Whiteville, was in the city yesterday and called at the offices of his Wilmington counsel, Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy and Herbert McClammy, Esq. Mr. Collins says he is under lasting obligations to his counsel in that trial and he is due them a debt of gratitude which he can never repay.

LIVELY COMPETITION.

"Shoe Shine" Assaulted Another With Railroad Iron.

With the trusts and big corporations does not always lie the keenest business rivalry. Isiah Williamson, a cock-eyed pickaninny, stretched out contentedly in a chair in Justice Bornemann's court room yesterday afternoon awaiting trial for an assault with a deadly weapon upon a fellow bootblack, was a living example of the proposition just laid down. Isaiah and a boy named "Rucket" were at the Coast Line depot Tuesday morning, armed with foot rests, polish and rags, calling "shine" to all pedestrians in lively fashion. "Rucket" accused Isaiah in the presence of a customer with having watered his polish, whereupon the customer withdrew his foot from Isaiah's box and placed it on "Rucket's," the nickle in return soon vanishing in "Rucket's pocket. Isaiah said he "let that pass" and challenged "Rucket" to a shine on the next "gemmen what come along," the bootblack to finish first to receive the coin. Isaiah claimed he came out first but the "gemmen" tossed a nickel and "Rucket" froze onto it. Isaiah retaliated by knocking his more vigilant companion in the head with a piece of railroad iron. "Rucket" had to go to the hospital for repairs but when he came out yesterday he pointed Isaiah out to Justice Bornemann and the arrest followed. The boy will be given preliminary trial to-day.

WILMINGTON GUN CLUB.

First of Series of Matches at Traps Near Delgado.

The Wilmington Gun Club held its first shoot of the season at the traps near Delgado yesterday afternoon. There were three events of 25 shots each, a large number having entered the first. The scores out of a possible 25 were as follows in the three events:

	1st.	2nd.	3d.
Buckner	16	..	..
Howell	13	..	..
Hergenrother	7	..	..
Capps	15	14	..
Littig	9	8	..
Warren	22	..	..
Pickett	16	15	..
Harriss	19	11	14
Johnson, W. S.	16	..	..
Sanders	18	17	14
Mercer, W. T.	6	..	..
Bowen	13	..	..
Empie	14	..	..
King, J. C.	20	..	..
Bellamy, H.	18	..	..
"A. B. C."	2	..	..
Pickard	18	19	..
Davis	11	..	..
Johnson, M. E.	12	..	..
Wilson	13	..	..

The club is looking forward to an interesting series of shoots during the season and it is not improbable that a number of matches will be arranged with teams from other clubs in the State.

Services Next Week.

Each night next week, the Rev. G. G. Sydnor, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Rome, Ga., will preach at the First Presbyterian church in this city. Wilmington people are fortunate to have the privilege of hearing the distinguished young minister, who is regarded as one of the most gifted and promising of the younger ministers of his denomination in the South. Preaching will be at eight each evening, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

Now is the Time

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While this proposition is made primarily to secure new subscribers, old subscribers outside the city may avail themselves of its advantages at the reduced rate provided they pay all arrearages and for not less than six months in advance.

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In the Afternoon

To-Day and To-Morrow

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TAX NOTICE!

Having been appointed Tax Lister for the City of Wilmington for the year 1905, I hereby notify all persons liable for taxation that I will be at the City Hall every day during the coming month of June (Sunday excepted) for the purpose of receiving the lists of Taxables and Polls of said city.

Parties failing to list will render themselves liable to indictment.

JOHN W. GAFFORD,
Tax Lister.

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MIXED CLAY PEAS
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All This Week With Saturday Matinee.

To-night the sensational four-act melodrama,

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Saturday Matinee, "Ten Nights In a Bar Room"; at the night performance, "Jessie James."

Prices 10, 20 and 30 cents. Seats on sale at Plummer's.

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Big Vaudeville between the acts.

Ladies free Monday night. Popular prices—10, 20 and 30 cents.

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The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Saturday Morning, May 6.

GOOD ROADS AND BRIDGES TRADE GETTERS.

The proposition for a big bond issue for a good roads system in Gastonia county was carried in the election the other day. The Gastonia Gazette has vigorously, ably and persistently advocated the proposition and we are satisfied that to its intelligent advocacy of this progressive movement, its success at the polls is due. The people of Gaston may realize the importance of their decision when the read this note of warning from the Charlotte Chronicle:

"The bridging of the Catawba is a matter that has been discussed of old, but recent developments bring it before the public in a new and most important light. It is now a question of vital interest to the business people of Charlotte. Two or more bridges have been needed for years. The need is now building of good roads in Gaston county is a new factor in the situation. The plan of Gaston county is to build macadamized roads in direct line to Gastonia from Lincoln on the north, Cleveland on the west and York on the south. This would cut off all of western Mecklenburg. The Catawba river would but serve the purpose of a wall to shut out Charlotte from the trade of the rich and prosperous people across the Catawba. The trade of that section is of great importance. What our people ought to do is to reach out for more of it. Instead, however, unless the river is bridged, this trade will not only not be increased, but Charlotte will lose such of it as she now has. The newly planned road system of Gaston county will be completed and in operation within three years. There need be no deliberation about the necessity of building the bridges—that is recognized by all—but the time is at hand for action."

Thus we see that enterprise and progress in one county stirs up another. Competition is the life of trade, and it is the reaching out for things that builds up a community. While Wilmington has no competition to speak of, it is time to renew that proposition for a free ferry over the Cape Fear and Brunwick rivers, and the advantages of a bridge or two over the Northeast river between New Hanover and Pender counties. These are important matters and ought not be neglected.

THE NORTH POLE.

At last accounts the North Pole was believed to still be there, but a good many who have gone in search of it are still missing. Anthony Fiala, the Brooklyn explorer, and a party who went in search of the pole in 1903, are missing and two expeditions have been fitted out to go to the artic regions in the hope of finding him.

Aboard the White Star liner Teutonic which sailed from New York on Wednesday for Liverpool was William S. Champ, who is to head the Ziegler expedition which is to start out this Summer to hunt for Fiala. Dr. Oliver L. Fassig, of Johns Hopkins University and of the Baltimore Weather Bureau, also sailed with Mr. Champ and will go by way of the Shannon Islands in another expedition which will have the same mission.

Anthony Fiala and his party went on their artic expedition in the steamer American which has not been heard of since she passed to the far north two years ago. The New York papers noting the departure of the heads of the searching expeditions, state that the Torra Nova, on which the Champ party is to sail is now at the India Docks, London. She has been fitted up with both steam and sail power, and will leave Tromsoe, Norway, about June 1. A quantity of dynamite is being taken along, not to force a way through the ice Mr. Champ explained, but to be used whenever it was necessary to free vessel or sleds. Mr. Champ's instructions are said to be to remain in the north until he has found Fiala or his party. The route will be through Franz Josef Land, which is the same taken by Fiala.

Dr. Fassig will sail in the Belgica, leaving England about May 15. His route by way of Shannon Islands, Greenland, is the first time, it is said, that an attempt has been made to penetrate the arctic region from that direction. Mr. Champ thinks it probable that Fiala attempted to return to civilization by way of Greenland.

RING DOWN THE CURTAIN ON NAN.

Lawyer Levy, Nan Patterson's counsel, advanced the theory that "Caesar" Young was simply infatuated with the chorus girl. The evidence was that in one year he spent $50,000 on her, and the night before he shot himself in the cab he was frolicking down town with her till after midnight, and before 9 o'clock next morning was back down town with her instead of accompanying his wife to the steamer which they were to take for Europe. Finally he couldn't go to the steamer without taking Nan along in that fatal cab to tell him good-bye, all of which ought have made the jury smile when the claim was set up that "Ceasar" was trying to "shake" the girl. The fact of the business is that the man was unhinged with emotion at the thought of leaving his charmer, and in all three of the trials of the unfortunate girl there was not developed a reasonable doubt that this Ceasar was his own Brutus.

Nan Patterson was a young, comely and dashing chorus girl and she took the string of diamonds at the blandishments of "Martha" or "Faust." She deserved some degree of punishment but not the electric chair, and now she ought to be discharged from prison so she can join the church and stay in it until the reaper cuts off her unhappy life.

The world has got enough of the Nan Patterson trials and their insidious effects. Turn her loose rather than inflict society with a fourth trial recalling circumstances that demoralize. The third trial has practically made her a heroine; the fourth would make her a martyr.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—On the other hand, if the State of Pennsylvania were divided it would be twice as bad.—Detroit Free Press.

—We are sorry to see our friends at Wilmington fighting over the little pie the municipality has to distribute.—Raleigh Post.

—Two much cheap politics does not mix well in a business administration and it makes no difference who injects it.—Memphis News-Scimitar.

—The Wilmington aldermen know how to get up a political rough house, and it is a mighty poor chance that they will let slip to do it.—Charlotte Chronicle.

—Gradually the Democrats of the country are again coming by their own. Baltimore turned her face again on Tuesday to her first love.—Philadelphia Record.

—The Standard Oil Company has cut the price of crude oil 4 cents more in Kansas. Mr. Rockefeller must be preparing to give some other church $100,000.—Kansas City Times.

—From the way in which Mrs. Chadweck's attorneys keep up the appeal game we conclude that the money she got was about as good as any the banks had in stock.—Baltimore Sun.

—It is believed that there is only one man in the country who could buy up all the wheat in the United States, and he is too busy just now defending the war on Standard Oil to try it.—Kansas City Star.

—The slight cloud of anti-Japanese feeling at Washington is significant. A Japanese exclusion law would tend to dissipate about all the entente cordiale now existing between the big republic of the West and the rising power of the Far East.—Mexican Herald.

TWINKLINGS.

—Life has no blessing like a prudent friend.—Euripides.

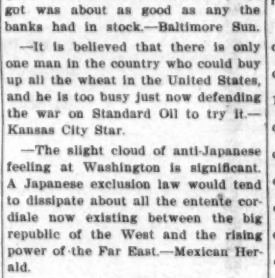
—Baggs—"What!" You and your wife never quarrel?" Waggs—"Well, we haven't quarreled during the last three weeks. Baggs—"How's that?" Waggs — "We're not on speaking terms."— St. Louis Star.

—"What kind of a looking man is that chap, Gabbleton, you just mentioned? I don't believe I have met him." "Well, if you see two men off in a corner anywhere and one of them looks bored to death, the other one is Gabbleton."—Puck.

—"But, my dear," remonstrated Mr. Meekum, "there's a good deal to be said on both sides," "No, there isn't," answered his spouse. "I've told you what I think about it, and that's all that is going to be said."—Chicago Tribune.

—Justice McFarland, of the California Supreme Court, was recently asked by a stranger of the State if that was its highest legal tribunal. "Yes," replied the justice, "it is the court of ultimate conjecture."—New York Times.

—"Where are you from?" demanded Mephisto. "Denver," the man replied. "Well, you can come in, but I don't want any kicking because this place isn't swift enough for you. We're doing the best we can."—Louisville Courier Journal.



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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, MAY 5, 1905.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market nothing doing.

ROSIN—Sales after hours at $2.80.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $2.50 per barrel for hard, $4.00 for dip and $4.50 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin, firm, $2.40; tar, firm, at $2.00; crude turpentine, steady at $3.25 @$3.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	23
Rosin	41
Tar	50
Crude turpentine	64

Receipts same day last year—17 casks spirits turpentine; 41 barrels rosin; 75 barrels tar; 67 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market Steady, 7 3-8.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—1,646 bales; same day last year,—bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants prices representaing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 90c.; extra prime, 95c.; fancy, $1.00, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 80c.; extra prime, 85c.; fancy, 90c. Spanish, 85@90c.

CORN—Firm; 60@65 per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, new, 12@12 1-2c. per pound; shoulders, 9c.; sides, dull, 9 to 10c.

EGGS—Dull at 14 @15c. per dozen.

CHICKENS—Dull. Springs, 15@25c.; Grown, 30@35c.

TURKEYS—Dull at 13c. for live; 18@20c. for dressed.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5 1-2@6c. per pound.

PORK—Firm at 6@7c. net.

PEAS—White, $1.50@$1.60; clay, $1.10@$1.15.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 75@80c. per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2@3 1-2c. per pound.

COTTON MARKETS.

New York, May 5.—The cotton market was fairly active and generally firm on a renewal of bull support and covering of recent sellers. The opening was very firm at an advance of 8@12 points in response to much firmer cables than expected. Shorts were good buyers and there was some demand for long account, but it was thought that the advance in the Liverpool market might have been the result of bull manipulation to make a selling basis here and with the weather good there was considerable cotton for sale. After working up 2 or 3 points from the opening figures, prices eased off 4 or 5 points under these offerings, but firmer up again around mid-day and in the afternoon reported the highest level of the day, or a net gain of about 19@20 points on active covering and continued support both from local and New Orleans sources. Private wires claimed a much firmer spot situation in the South, aiding in the advance, while there were also a number of reports of an unfavorable start for the new crop in portions of the belt, notably Texas. The close was steady with prices only 2 or 3 points off from the best at a net gain of 14@18 points. Sales were estimated at 200,000 bales.

Spot closed steady 10 points higher; middling uplands, 7.95; middling gulf, 8.20; sales, 2,725 bales.

Futures closed steady. June, 7.40; July, 7.49; August, 7.53; September, 7.60; October, 7.67; November, 7.71; December, 7.76; January, 7.81; February, 7.84; March, 7.80.

Port Movement.

Galveston—Steady, 7 11-16c.; net receipts, 4,710 bales.

New Orleans—Firm, 7 5-8c.; net receipts, 5,158 bales.

Mobile—Firm, 7 9-16c.; net receipts, 1,658 bales.

Savannah—Quiet, 7 3-8c.; net receipts, 7,933 bales.

Charleston—Quiet, 7 3-8c.; net receipts, 1,130 bales.

Wilmington—Dull, 7 3-8c.; net receipts, 1,646 bales.

Norfolk—Steady, 7 5-8c.; net receipts, 3,038 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 7 3-4c.; net receipts, 1,535 bales.

New York—Steady, 7.95; net receipts, 819 bales.

Boston—Steady, 7.95; net receipts, 399 bales.

Philadelphia—Steady, 8.20; net receipts, 146 bales.

Port Townsend—Net receipts, 7,798 bales.

Newport News—Net receipts, 1,502 bales.

Brunswick — Net receipts, 3,903 bales.

Total to-day, at all ports—Net, 41,400 bales; Great Britain, 6,562 bales; France, 4,506 bales; Continent, 6,275 bales; Japan, 7,798 bales; Stock, 664,411 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 175,572 bales; Great Britain, 59,780 bales; France, 4,506 bales; Continent 86,412 bales; Japan, 20,590 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all ports—Net, 8,702,486 bales; Great Britain, 3,233,514 bales; France, 698,923 bales; Continent, 2,785,230 bales; Japan, 221,309 bales; Mexico, 28,472 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 7 11-16c.; net receipts, 3,451 bales.

Augusta—Steady, 7,11-16c.; net receipts, 465 bales.

Memphis—Steady, 7 11-16c.; net receipts, 462 bales.

St. Louis—Steady, 7 11-16c.; 381 bales.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 683 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 7 15-16c.; net receipts, 155 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 5,597 bales.

Cotton Receipts.

New York, May 5, 1905.

The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston, 2,430,873; New Orleans, 2,375,536; Mobile, 284,774; Savannah, 1,555,560; Charleston, 204,598; Wilmington, 331,154; Norfolk, 621,493; Baltimore, 51,799; New York, 25,913; Boston, 71,355; Newport News, 9,827; Philadelphia, 11,800; San Francisco, 112,916; Brunswick, 174,118; Port Townsend, 101,703; Pensacola, 146,270; Portland, Ore, 12,231; Port Arthur and Sabine Pass, 119,715; Jacksonville, 19,257; Eagle Pass, Texas, 12,344; El Paso, Texas, 4,197; Laredo, Texas, 15,317 . Minor Ports, 9,736. Total, 8,702,4 . bales.

Compartice Cotton Statement.

New York, May 5, 1905.

For the week ending Friday, May 5th:

Net receipts at all U. S. ports during week, 175,572 bales; net receipts at all U. S. ports same week last year, 34,474. Total receipts since September 1st, 8,702,486; total receipts to same date last year, 6,910,189. Exports for the week, 171,288; exports for same week last year, 45,285. Total exports since September 1st, 6,967,448; total exports same date last year, 5,461,305. Stock at all U. S. ports, 664,411; stock at all U. S. ports same time last year, 350,581. Stock at all interior towns, 627,261; stock at all interior towns same time last year, 184,200.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, May 5.—Cotton—Spot in fair demand, prices 2 points higher. American middling, 4.72d.; good middling, 4.49d.; middling, 4.25d.; low middling, 4.08d.; good ordinary, 3.90d.; ordinary, 3.74d.

The sales of the day were 8,000 bales of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 7,500 American. Receipts, 10,200 bales, all American.

Futures opened quiet and closed firm. American middling, G. O. C: May, 4.12d.; May and June, 4.12d.; June and July, 4.14d.; July and August, 4.15d.; August and September, 4.17d.; September and October, 4.18d.; October and November, 4.19d.; November and December, 4.20d.; December and January, 4.21d.; January and February, 4.22d.; February and March, 4.23d.; March and April, 4.25d.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, May 5.—Money on call easier, 1 1-2@3 per cent., closing bid, 1 1-2; offered at 1 3-4. Time money steady and dull; sixty days, ninety days and six months, 3 1-2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3 3-4@4 per cent. Sterling exchange closed firm with actual business in bankers bills at 486.55@486.60 for demand and at 484.50@484.55 for sixty days bills. Posted rates, 485@485 1-2 and 487@487 1-2. Commercial bills, 484 1-4@484 3-8. Bar silver, 56 7-8. Mexican dollars, 44 1-2.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. refunding 2s. reg.	104 1-2
U. S. refunding 2s cou.	104 5-8
U. S. 3s. reg.	104
U. S. 3s cou.	104 1-4
U. S. 4s reg.	132
U. S. 4s new cou.	132
U. S. 4s Old reg.	104 1-2
U. S. Old cou.	104 1-2
American Tobacco 4s cert.	73 1-4
American Tobacco 6s cert.	113 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	102
L. & N. Unified 4s	103 7-8
Seaboard Air Line 4s (bid)	85 1-2
Southern Railway 5s	119
U. S. Steel, 2d 5s	94 1-2

Closing Stock List.

Atlantic Coast Line	155
Baltimore & Ohio	106 1-8
Baltimore & Ohio, pfd	96
Chesapeake & Ohio	49
Louisville & Nashville	145 7-8
Manhattan L.	164
Mexican Central	21
New York Central	141 3-8
Norfolk & Western	78
Norfolk & Western, pfd.	91
Pennsylvania	136 3-8
Reading	92 7-8
Reading, 1st pfd.	91
Reading, 2d pfd.	85
Southern Pacific	60 3-8
Southern Pacific, pfd.	117 1-8
Southern Railway	30 1-2
Southern Railway, pfd.	95
American Sugar Refining	134 1-4
American Tobacco, pfd cert.	96 3-4
People's Gas	110
U. S. Steel	32 1-8
U. S. Steel, pfd	100 7-8
Amalgamated Copper	80 1-4
Tenn. Coal & Iron	83
Va.-Car. Chemical	34 1-4
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	105
S. A. L., com	16 1-2 to 18 1-2
S. A. L., pfd	35 1-2 to 38
Western Union	93 1-4
Standard Oil	616

CHICAGO MARKET.

Chicago, May 5.—Excellent weather conditions for the growth of the new crop formed the primary cause of a weak wheat market here to-day. At the close July wheat was off 1-8c. Corn and oats are up 1-4c. Provisions are 2 1-2 to 5c. higher.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat, No. 2.—				
May	91½	92	90	91⅛
July	83⅝	83½	82⅝	83⅛
Sept	79⅛	79½	78⅛	78⅝
Corn, No. 2.—				
May	48¼	48⅝	47⅝	48⅛
July	46⅝	47	46⅝	46⅞
Sept	46½	46⅝	46¼	46⅝
Oats, No. 2.—				
May	29⅝	29⅞	29⅝	29¾
July	29	29¼	28⅞	29
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
May				12.05
July	12.35	12.37½	12.32½	12.32½
Sept	12.55	12.60	12.55	12.55
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
May	7.15	7.17½	7.15	7.17½
July	7.32½	7.35	7.27½	7.35
Sept	7.50	7.55	7.50	7.50
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
May	7.00	7.07½	7.00	7.07½
July	7.27½	7.27½	7.20	7.30½
Sept	7.52½	7.55	7.50	7.52½

Flour, easy; No. 2 spring wheat, 92@96; No. 3 spring wheat, 85@96; No. 2 red 90 1-2@93 3-4; No. 2 corn, 48 1-2; No. 2 yellow, 50 1-4; No. 2 oats, 29 7-8@31 1-2; No. 2 white, 32@32 3-4; No. 3 white, 30@32 1-2; No. 2 rye, 70@70 1-2; Mess pork, per bbl., 12.05@12.10; Lard, per 100 lbs., 7.15@7.17 1-2; Short rib sides (loose), 7.00@7.12 1-2; Short clear sides (boxed), 7.00@7.12 1-2; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.23.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, May 5.—Flour steady with moderate trade.

RYE FLOUR—Steady.

WHEAT—Spot steady; No. 2 red, 91 3-8. Options firmer, closing unchanged except May which was lower. May, 93 1-4; July, 88 3-8; September, 83 1-4.

CORN—Spot firm; No. 2, 56. Options closed 1-8 up to 1-8c. lower. May, 52 3-4; July, 52.

OATS—Spot firm; No. 2, mixed, 34 1-2@35.

LARD—Quiet; refined steady.

PORK—Steady; mess, 13.12 1-2@13.62 1-2.

TALLOW—Dull.

RICE—Firm.

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WOOLSON SPICE CO., Toledo, Ohio.

MOLASSES—Steady.

COFFEE—Spot Rio steady. Futures closed unchanged to 5 points lower.

SUGAR—Raw unsettled; fair refining, 3 7-8; centrifugal 96 test, 4 1-2; molasses sugar, 3 5-8; Refined quiet.

BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 23@26; State dairy, 21@25 1-2.

CHEESE—Steady, unchanged.

EGGS—Steady, unchanged.

POTATOES—Easy; Florida new, 2.25@3.25; State and Western, 85@1.00; ersey sweets, 2.50@4.00.

PEANUTS—Quiet; fancy handpicked, 5 1-4@5 1-2; Other domestic, 3 1-4@5 1-2.

CABBAGES—Easy; Charleston per barrel crate, .75@1.00.

COTTON BY STEAM—To Liverpool, 10@14.

COTTON SEED OIL—Firm but dull. Prime crude f. o. b. mills, 20@20 1-2; prime summer yellow, 26 1-4@26 3-4; off summer yellow nominal; prime white, 29@29 1-2; prime winter yellow, 29 1-2@30.

NAVAL STORES.

Charleston, May 5.—Turpentine steady, 55 1-2; sales, 65 casks; Rosin nothing doing.

Savannah, May 5.—Turpentine firm, 56 1-4@56 1-2; receipts, 667; sales, 566; shipments, 9,447.

Rosin firm; receipts, 1,508; sales, 1,433; shipments, 7,062. Quote A. B. C., 297 1-2@3.00; D., 3.05; E., 3.12 1-2; F., 3.17 1-2; G., 3.22 1-2; H., 3.45; I., 3.50; K., 3.70; M., 3.75; N., 3.80; W. G., 3.90; W. W., 4.10@4.15.

New York, May 5.—Turpentine quiet and steady; 59 1-2 to 60; rosin quiet.

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

Schooner Adella T. Carleton, 208 tons, Kent New York, C. D. Maffitt.

Steamer A. J. Johnson, Black, Clear Run, W. J. Meredith.

Steamer Tar Heel, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, S. M. King.

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MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Bylands (Br), 2,119 tons, Dorman, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Glenwood (Br.), 1,253 tons, Richards, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Helen Montague, 348 tons, Adams, C. D. Maffitt.

Isaac T. Campbell, 494 tons, Waldemar, C. D. Maffitt.

Bradford C. French, 920 tons, Garland, C. D. Maffitt.

Carrie A. Bucknam, 235 tons, Torrey, C. D. Maffitt.

Edwina, 389 tons, Cavileer, C. D. Maffitt.

Adelia T. Carleton, 208 tons, Kent, C. D. Maffitt (at Ft. Caswell).

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., May 5, 1905.

C. C. Railroad—5 casks spirits; 11 barrels tar; 10 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—63 bales cotton; 1 barrel crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1,341 bales cotton; 1 barrel tar; 20 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—146 bales cotton; 12 casks spirits; 2 barrels rosin; 11 barrels tar; 12 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—9 bales cotton; 30 barrels rosin; 3 barrels tar; 15 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Tar Heel—87 bales cotton; 15 barrels tar; 4 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Johnson—6 casks spirits; 9 barrels rosin; 9 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—1,646 bales cotton; 23 casks spirits; 41 barrels rosin; 50 barrels tar; 64 barrels crude turpentine.

Election Notice!

The Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, passed at its 1905 Session, entitled, "An Act to Empower the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to Issue Bonds for Road Improvements," and by virtue of the power therein given, do hereby call, and give notice of, an election to be held by the qualified electors of New Hanover County, on Wednesday June seventh (7), 1905, to determine whether New Hanover shall issue Fifty Thousand dollars ($50.000.00) of its bonds, with interest coupons attached, to continue and complete the repairing, constructing and improving the public roads in said County.

At said election the baiots tendered and cast by the qualified electors shall have written, or printed, on them, "For continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads of the County," or, "Against the continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads of the County."

All qualified electors who favor the issue of said bonds shall vote "For continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads of the County," and all qualified electors, who are opposed to the issue of said bonds, shall vote, "Against the continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads of the County."

For the purposes of this election, as authorized by said Act, tne said Board of Commissioners have ordered and do hereby order a new registration for said election, and the following are designated as the polling places in the several Townships and Wards, and the persons hereinafter named have been appointed as the Registrars and Judges of Election in said several Townships and Wards, to wit:

Cape Fear Township.

Polling Place—Blossom's Store. Castle Haynes.

Registrar—R. N. Sweet.

Judges of Election—R. W. Boardeaux and J. H. Johnston.

Harnett Township—First Division.

Polling Place—Delgado Store.

Registrar—W. H. Pittman.

Judges of Election—T. J. Kenan and George W. Rogers.

Harnett Township—Second Division.

Polling Place—Township House.

Registrar—C. H. Alexander.

Judges of Election—W. B. Canady and J. Robert Parker.

Masonboro Township.

Polling Place—Township House.

Registrar—D. J. Fergus.

Judges of Election—B. S. Montford and Henry Melton.

Federal Point Township.

Polling Place—Cappa Store.

Registrar—John A. Biddle.

Judges of Election—Theodore Biddle and Hill Williams.

Wilmington Township—First Ward.

Polling Place—First Ward Hose Reel House, near Fourth-Street Bridge.

Registrar—F. T. Skipper.

Judges of Election—J. D. Mote, G. H. Heyer.

Wilmington Township—Second Ward.

Polling Place—Old Court House.

Registrar—P. Heinsberger, Sr.

Judges of Election—M. O'Brien and J. C. Springer.

Wilmington Township—Third Ward.

Polling Place—Giblem Lodge.

Registrar—A. G. Hankins.

Judges of Election—H. L. Fennell and George P. Cotchett.

Wilmington Township—Fourth Ward.

Polling Place—Worth's Ice House.

Registrar—George D. Parsley.

Judges of Election—L. M. LeGwin and W. A. French, Jr.

Wilmington Township—Fifth Ward.

Polling Place—Old Hook and Ladder House.

Registrar—T. G. Landen.

Judges of Election—B. M. Wilson and James H. Burriss.

The Registration books of each Township, Ward and Precinct will be kept open between the hours of Nine o'clock, A. M., and sunset on each day, Sunday excepted, for twenty days, beginning May 4th, 1905, for the Registration of electors; that the said books will be closed for registration at sunset on the second Saturday before said election, to-wit, the 27th day of May, 1905, that on Saturday the 6th day of May, 1905, and on the 13th, 20th and 27th day of May, the Saturdays thereafter, the Registrars will attend with their registration book at the polling places of their respective townships, wards or precincts for the registration of voters. The registrars will attend the polling places of their respective township, wards or precincts with the registration books on Saturday preceding the election, to wit, the 3rd day of June, 1905, from the hour of Nine o'clock, A. M. till the hour of Three o'clock, P. M., when and where the said books will be opened for the inspection of the electors of said Township, ward and precinct and any of said electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said books.

This the 1st day of May, 1905.

By order of the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County.

D. McEACHERN, Chairman.

W. H. BIDDLE, Clerk.

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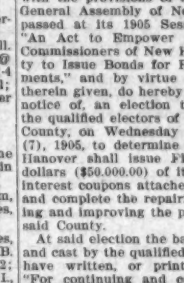

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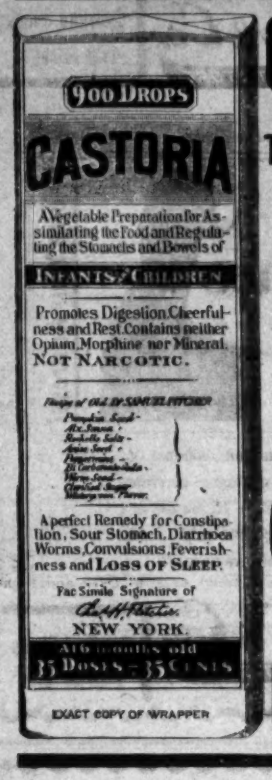
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At close of business March 14, 1905 Began business March 1, 1898.)

Resources.		Liabilities.	
Loans and Discounts	$ 950,197 95	Capital	$ 300,000 00
U. S. Bonds (at par)	350,000 00	Surplus and net profits	143,706 81
Bank Building	25,000 00	Circulation	265,000 00
Cash on hand and in banks	674,884 39	Deposits	1,291,375 53
Total	$2,000,082 34	Total	$2,000,082 34

Comparative statement of deposits.
March 14th, 1901, $411,594 08.
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March, 14th, 1905, $1,291,375 53.

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—It is stated that although the Pittsburg Orchestra concert at Biltmore House was a financial success, the two Asheville hospitals for the benefit of which it was given, will receive $1,000. This sum, it is said, was guaranteed the institutions by Mr. Vanderbilt.

—Robert Odell was fatally shot at his home near Leaksville May 3rd by Chase Price. The men quarreled over a garden rake, and Price aired on Odell, the load taking effect in the back just above the hip. Both are men with families, respected in their community. Odell will die.

—Everything is about ready for work to begin towards the erection of the mammouth German - American Mill in the Meadows section, just beyond Spray. When this enterprise begins to turn out its product, the pay-roll on the bunch of mills in that immediate section will have reached more than a half million dollars per annum.

A special to The Observer says: A child of Mr. Charley Teague, who lives near Vashti, Alexander county, fell into a spring Wednesday afternoon and was drowned. The child was three of four years old, and the spring was a hollow log or gum set upon end in the water. The child fell head downward and could not get out or give any alarm.

A dispatch from Winston-Salem on Thursday says: Melvin Gardner, a newspaper man who had been drinking heavily and evidently using some powerful drug, died in the police station to-night. Gardner came here from Salisbury Tuesday night, saying that he left Charlotte, where he had been working for The Evening Chronicle, Sunday. He seemed to be in hard luck and collected some money at the newspaper offices here.

—Raleigh Post: A young man giving his name as De Young called at the station house this morning and importuned the police to arrest him as a vagrant, if there was a vagrancy law here. He said he was from New York, had no work, no money and would not beg. He wept while begging the officers to lock him up. He was given a meal and work secured for him in a sash, door and blind factory.

—Kinston Free Perss: Much to the surprise of everybody the physicians attending Robert Horton in Goldsboro announce that he will recover and that his mind will not be affected, nothwithstanding he lost two spoonfuls of brains when he was knocked in the head by a negro in LeGrange some time ago. Mr. Joe Horton, of this city, brother of the injured man received a 'phone message from Goldsboro stating that Horton is getting along finely and his mind is as clear as ever.

—Charlotte Chronicle, April 29: The annual meeting of the board of managers of the Thompson Orphanage institute is in a good condition. It is caring for seventy-one children, has an endowment of over $8,000 and a balance of $1,000 on hand. This reflects, in a measure, the excellence of the management of Rev. W. J. Smith, the superintendent of the institution. To use an old phrase, he is "the right man in the right place." He is assisted by an able corps of officers. Any institution officered as the Thompson Orphanage is, must be a success.

—Lumberton Robesonian, May 5th: Quite a number of interested parties attended the Truckers' meeting held here Friday afternoon, and more enthusiasm than usual was manifested. It was made known at the meeting that refrigerator cars had been secured and that parties from now on can make shipment in this way. It is desired that all members ship according to the instructions of the Association as they will thus be enabled to save middleman's commissions. Mr. E. F. Ward was appointed business agent and will look after shipments.

—Charlotte Chronicle: The people of North Carolina are becoming to be very much interested in the subject of immigration. They are asking such questions as: Are we to have more people here? If so, where are they to come from? How are weto get them? Would it be better for us to remain as we have been and are, a homogeneous people, and do our own work and not add a foreign problem to our negro problem? These are questions that are getting to be more and more insistent. One prominent and thoughtful man in North Carolina has been giving a great deal of earnest thought to this subject. That man is United States Senator Simmons, who has consented to give his opinion of the situation in Rev. J. A. Baldwin's 20th of May edition of The Evening Chronicle. It goes without saying that the article Senator Simmons will write will be worthy of the most serious consideration on the part of the people of the State, and of course, it will be read and studied with a great degree of interest.

—A dispatch from Durham on Thursday says: There was a shooting affair at Creedmore, Granville county, this morning at 11 o'clock that will in all probability result fatally. oJe Roberts, of this city, did the shooting the wounded man is J. L. Roberts, a first cousin of Joe Roberts. The latter was arrested on the spot and taken through the country to Oxford, where he is now in jail. The wounded man was brought here this afternoon and is at the Watts Hospital. He was wounded in four places. Four doctors are attending the wounded man to-night and an X-ray machine will be used in an effort to locate two of the bullets that are still in his body. Five shots were fired by Joe Roberts. Two entered the back near the kidneys and are still in the body of J. L. Roberts. Another passed through his left shoulder from the rear and the fourth grazed his neck on the right sode. There are two rumors as to the cause of the shooting, one is that Joe Roberts accused his cousin of writing to his wife, and when the accused man denied the charge the accuser drew his pistol and began to shoot. Another story is that Joe Roberts, who recently moved to Creedmore from Durham, has not been living as he should and that Mrs. J. L. Roberts wrote a letter to Mrs. Joe Roberts telling her that he husband was not leading the proper kind of life. This letter, it is said, caused Joe Roberts to leave her this morning and he went to Creedmore to avenge what he thought was a wrong. When he charged J. L. Roberts with having something to do with the letter-writing, the latter denied the charge and started to walk away. It was then that the snooting began. The wounded man is about 27 years old; married and has two children. He is well-to-do, owning a planing and saw-mill. Joe Roberts has a wife and one child and is near the age of his cousin. Before leaving here this morning Joe Roberts sent a message to Creedmore, but the contents of the telegram is not known.

SPECIAL RATES VIA SEABOARD AIR LINE RY.

ASHEVILLE, N. C.—Conference Young People's Missionary Association, June 25th to July 2nd.
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.—Summer School of Methods, June 27th to August 6th.
BALTIMORE, MD.—United Society Christian Endeavor International Convention, July 5th to 10th.
WRIGHTSVILLE, N. C.—Summer School, June 15th to 21st.
HOT SPRINGS, VA.—Southern Hardware Jobbers Association and American Hardware Manufacturers' Association, June 6th to 9th.
OXFORD, Miss.—Summer School University of Mississippi.
MOUNT EAGLE, TENN.—Mount Eagle Summer School Institute, July 17th to August 5th.
MOUNT EAGLE, TENN.—Women's Congress, August 1st to 15th.
NASHVILLE, TENN.—Peabody College School, Vanderbilt Biblical Institute, June 14th to August 9th.
TUSCALOOSA, ALA.—Summer School for Teachers, June 16th to July 28th.
KNOXVILLE, TENN.—Summer School, June 20th to July 28th.
MOUNT EAGLE, TENN.—Mount Eagle Bible Training School, July 23rd to August 15th.
RICHMOND, VA.—Farmers' National Congress, September 12th to 27th.
ST. LOUIS, MO.—National Baptist Anniversary, May 16th to 24th.
SCAVANNAH, GA.—Fourth Annual Tournament Southern Golf Association, May 9th to 13th.
KANSAS CITY, MO.—Southern Baptist Convention, May 10th to 17th.
SAVANNAH, GA.—National Travelers' Protective Association of America, May 16th to 23rd.
ASHEVILLE, N. C.—Southern Atlantic Missionary Conference, May 17th to 21st.
FORT WORTH, Texas.—General Assembly of Southern Presbyterian Church, May 18th to 26th.
ATLANTA, GA.—National Association of Manufacturers, May 16th to 18th.
ATHENS, GA.—Summer School, June 27th to July 28th.
PORTLAND, ORE.—Lewis & Clark Centennial Exposition, June 1st to October 15th.
PORTLAND, ORE.—American Medical Association, July 11th to 14th.
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—American Surgical Association, July 4th to 7th.

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They will leave Raleigh on the Seaboard train No. 41 at 4:00 P. M. or 7:00 P. M., May 9th, joining the Georgia delegation at Atlanta, who will leave Atlanta on special train at 1:00 P. M., May 10th, provided the number justifies it, if not, will leave Atlanta on the N. C. & St. L. at 8:35 A. M.

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The Board of Directors of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company have declared a dividend of two and one-half per cent. on the Preferred Capital Stock of that Company; dividend due and payable on the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, N. C., on and after May 10, 1905. The transfer books were closed May 1st, 1905, and will stand closed until May 10th, both dates inclusive.

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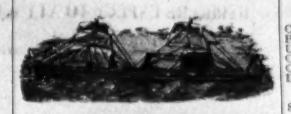

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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, March 14, 1905.

Began business September 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$473,472 10
Demand loans		24,050 00
Due from banks		17,302 17
Gold coin		395 00
Furniture and fixtures		100 00
Silver coin		236 65
Cash items		2 77
National bank notes and other U. S. notes		1,016 00
Total		$516,575 69

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Profits and Loss	15,470 94
Unearned interest	2,500 00
Cashier's checks	150 00
Certified checks	25 00
Deposits	448,429 75
Total	$516,575 69

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss.:

I, Milton Calder, cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON CALDER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 20th day of March, 1905.

S. M. BOATWRIGHT, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
ROBERT R. BELLAMY,
L. M. BEAR,
D. McEACHERN,
Directors.

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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE Atlantic National Bank at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, March 14th, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 822,665 82
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		921 39
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		125,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. deposits		77,000 00
U. S. Bonds on hand		16,000 00
Stocks, securities, &c.		36,850 00
Banking houses, furniture, and fixtures		20,000 00
Other real estate owned		10,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		128,647 18
Due from State Banks and Bankers		104,710 91
Due from approved reserve agents		85,434 09
Checks and other cash items		150 00
Notes of other National Banks		12,575 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		253 50
Lawful Money Reserve in bank viz:		
Specie	$18,021 00	
Legal tender nts	$32,396 00	50,417 00
Redemption fund with U. S Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		3,050 25
Total		$1,493,675 14

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 125,000 00
Surplus fund	125,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	84,332 92
National Bank notes outstanding	125,000 00
Due to other National Banks	105 732 72
Due to State Banks and Bankers	2,425 76
Dividends unpaid	551 00
Individual deposits subject to check	715,815 05
Cerified checks	904 97
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,411 72
United States deposits	77,000 00
Total	$1,493,675 14

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss.:

I, J. W. Yates, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. YATES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 1905.

GEORGE SLOAN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
JAS. H. CHADBOURN,
D. McEACHERN,
C. W. YATES,
Directors.

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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect April 16, 1905.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12 15 p m	9 32 p m
Ar. Wilson	1 18 p m	10 25 p m
Ar. Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar. Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar. Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar. Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 23 a m
Ar. Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar. Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar. New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk	.....	9 40 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 51 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 10 p m
Ar. Wilson	11 32 p m	2 00 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	6 58 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 00 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Wilmingt'n	6 00 am	3 45 pm	6 50 pm
Ar Florence	9 35 am	7 40 pm	3 55 am
Ar Charlest'n	1 20 pm	11 40 pm	6 50 am
Ar Savannah	4 45 pm	2 50 am	9 05 am
Ar Jacksville	.....	8 40 am	1 45 pm
Ar Tampa	.....	6 55 pm	11 00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	8 40 p m	9 00 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	7 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar. Savannah	12 55 p m	1 15 a m
Lv. Charleston	4 12 p m	6 15 a m
Ar. Florence	7 35 p m	9 25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily.	East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington.	8 50 a m	Ar. 8 00 p m
Ar. Fayetteville	12 15 p m	Ar. 4 55 p m
Ar. Sanford	1 55 m	Lv. 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	N. Bound Daily ex Sun.	South Bound.
Lv. Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar. 12 30 p m
Ar. Newbern	8 40 p m	Lv. 9 10 a m

Trains Nos. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington connecting with Pennsylvania R. R. for all points east.

W. J. CRAIG,
Gen'l Passenger Agent.

H. M. Emerson, Traffic Manager.

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To The Beach and Wrightsville.

In effect April 15, 1905.

Suburban Schedule (Daily except Sunday.)

Leave Front and Princess.	Leave the Beach.
6.30 A. M.	7.15 A. M.
*8.00 A. M.	8.45 A. M.
10.00 A. M.	12.15 P. M.
1.00 P. M.	2.15 P. M.
3.00 P. M.	3.15 P. M.
3.00 P. M.	4.15 P. M.
4.00 P. M.	5.15 P. M.
5.00 P. M.	6.15 P. M.
*6.00 P. M.	6.45 P. M.
*7.30 P. M.	8.15 P. M.

Lv. Wrightsville.
9.00 P. M. Wrightsville only. 9.30 P. M.
*10.00 P. M. 10.30 P. M.

*Trains leaving Front and Princess at 8.00 A. M., 6.00, 7.30 and 10.00 P. M., will go to the Beach on request.

CITY SCHEDULE.

Regular City Cars.

Brooklyn and Belt line cars leave Front and Princess streets every 10 minutes beginning at 7.25 A. M., daily except Sunday. Sunday at 8.25 A. M. Last Brooklyn and Belt line cars leave Front and Princess streets at 12.05 midnight.

Hospital and Cemetery Cars.
(Without change).

Leave Front and Princess	Leave Cemetery
9.00 A. M.	9.30 A. M
3.30 P. M.	3.45 P. M
4.00 P. M.	4.15 P. M
4.30 P. M.	4.45 P. M
5.00 P. M.	5.15 P. M

A. C. L. Depot Car.
(Without change.)

Leave Front and Princess	Leave A. C. L. Depot
10.00 A. M.	10.10 A. M.
5.40 P. M.	6.00 P. M.

S. A. L. Car.
(Without change.)

Leave Front and Princess	Leave S. A. L. Depot.
6.40 A. M.	7.00 A. M.
12.35 P. M.	12.45 P. M.
2.35 P. M.	3.00 P. M.
8.35 P. M.	8.45 P. M.

FREIGHT CAR.

Leave 9th and Orange Sts.	Leave the Beach.
4.00 P. M.	6.00 P. M.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Saturday Morning, May 6.

WARM WIRELETS.

At Boston, Mass., yesterday resolutions upon the death of General Fitzhugh Lee, of Virginia, were adopted by a rising vote in the Massachusetts House of Representatives. General Lee visited the Massachusetts Legislature just before his death in Washington.

Captain S. P. Gilbert, of Columbus, Ga., received a telegram from Atlanta yesterday notifying him of his appointment by Judge William T. Newman as special master to hear the evidence in the case recently filed in the Federal court against the Inter-state Building and Loan Association. The bill which was filed by certain stockholders alleges that the assets of the association were sold for less than their real value.

Fall River, Mass., reports that the sales in the plaincloth market for the week were estimated at from 150,000 to 175,000 pieces. General conditions in the market for print cloths are improving. The bulk of the demand had been for narrow odds, wide goods continuing firm at unchanged prices. Regulars are quoted at 2 11-16c., but no sales were made. The outlook in manufacturing circles is much brighter than for many weeks past. All the mills are running on full time, with no accumulation of goods, and a better feeling prevails.

The police of New York last night telegraphed to authorities of Norfolk, Va., to arrest Susie Edwards, colored, on the arrival of the Old Dominion Line steamer Jefferson in that city to-day. The woman left a 9-year-old negro girl in the baggage-room on the pier at New York yesterday and neglected to call for her before the steamer sailed. Later the girl lapsed into unconscious and died last night at the Hudson street hospital.

HESTER'S COTTON STATISTICS.

The Crop of 1904 in Light 11,852,859 Bales.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New Orleans, May 5.—Secretary Hester's weekly cotton statement issued to-day shows:

For the five days of May an increase over last year of 133,000 and an increase over the same period year before last of 103,000. For the 247 days of the season that has elapsed the aggregate is ahead of the same day's of last year 2,173,000 and ahead the same days year before last of 1,620,000. The amount brought into sight during the past week has been 182,102 bales against 46,981 for the same seven days last lear, and 93,700 year before last. The movement since September 1st shows receipts at all United States ports to be 8,702,486 against 6,910,288 last year. Overland across the Mississippi, Ohio and Potomac rivers to Northern mills and Canada, 948,265, against 883,685 last year. Interior stocks in excess of those held at the close of the commercial year 370,142 against 163,977 last year; Southern mills takings 1,670,000 against 1,560,001 last year. The total movement since September 1st, is 11,690,892 against 9,517,891 last year. Foreign exports for the week have been 176,106 against 94,098 last year, making the total thus far for the season 7,085,780 against 5,562,339 last year. The total takings of American mills, North, South, and Canada, thus far for the season have been 3,657,821 against 3,584,106 last year. Stock at the seaboard and the twenty-nine leading Southern interior centers have decreased during this week 64,336 bales against a decrease during the corresponding period last season of 82,321. Including stocks left over at ports and interior towns from the last crop and the number of bales brought into sight thus far from the new crop, the supply to date is 11,852,859 against 9,685,690 for the same period last year.

BRITISHER KNOCKED OUT.

James E. Britt Champion Light-Weight Boxer of the World.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

San Francisco, May 5.—James E. Britt, of California, became champion light-weight of the world to-night when he got the decision over Jabez White, of England, at the close of a 20-round fight. With just 20 seconds to go Britt hooked the Englishman with a left to the jaw and the latter went to the mat, where he lay flat on his back for eight seconds.

He staggered to his feet but was powerless to defend himself and Britt swung right and left on his jaw. The referee, to save the plucky Englishman from needless punishment stopped the contest, although White was on his feet leaning up against the ropes in a helpless condition. White was carried to his corner and in a few minutes revived sufficiently to make a little speech in which he said: "I fought the best I knew how. I received fair play, but Britt is evidently the better man."

NAN PATTERSON RECOVERING.

Received Piles of Letters Telling Her to Be Game.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, May 5.—Nan Patterson's condition was much improved to-day. Her recovery from the almost complete breakdown which followed the failure in her case to agree early yesterday morning, began yesterday afternoon and has progressed steadily. There was a big bundle of letters for the prisoner to-day and with a message urging Miss Patterson to keep up her courage and to be "game to the last." Several other cards bore messages of a similar nature.

Miss Patterson's condition was so much improved this afternoon that she went to the counsel room in the Tombs prison and had a lively talk with her counsel and Mr. and Mrs. J. Morgan Smith for the first time since her collapse. She read her mail with evident enjoyment. She was told today by her attorneys that she probably will not be released on bail before Monday.

ROUGH HOUSE WITH GAMBLERS.

Florida Judge Fines Indianapolis Sport, $1,000, Which He Paid.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Pensacola, Fla., May 5.—The heaviest fine ever passed in a court of this county for gambling was imposed today when Judge E. Ed. Beggs, of the criminal court, sentenced W. F. Kissell, of Indianapolis, to either pay a fine of $1,000 and costs or sever two years in the county jail. William Nichols, an employe in the alleged gambling house, also was sentenced to pay a fine of $500, while George W. Sims, proprietor of the hotel where the alleged gambling house was run, was fined $500 for renting a room to be used for the purpose of gambling. All the fines were paid by the parties. In addition to the fines, all the gambling appliances which are estimated as being worth $2,000, have been seized by the authorities and will be destroyed at once.

CRISIS IN STRIKE EXPECTED TO-DAY

Retail Merchants Will Send Out 11,000 Wagons to Deliver Goods.

STRIKERS EXPECT TO ATTACK

As ...any Wagons As Possible Will Carry Armed Deputy Sheriffs—Troops Will Probably be Called Out.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Chicago, May 5.—A crisis in the Teamsters' strike is expected to come to-morrow. State street retail merchants have decided to send out 1,100 wagons to make deliveries in all parts of the city. As far as possible these wagons will be guarded by deputy sheriffs and in some cases by policemen. It will be impossible for all of the wagons to be guarded by deputy sheriffs, but it is the intention to place two officers on each wagon as far as the number of deputies already sworn in will permit. Sheriff Barrett had 200 deputies in service to-night and said that he thought this number would be ample for the work outlined for to-morrow. If it is not, it is said he will conclude that the sheriff's force and the police are not able to control the situation and a request will be made for the State militia.

Governor Deneen has said that he will order out the troops if a request is made by Sheriff Barrett and on the failure or success of the attempt at retail deliveries to-morrow depends the coming of the troops. Fifteen wagons were sent out to-day by the large dry goods and department stores and all of them made deliveries with little interruption. On each of the wagons rode two deputy sheriffs. It was then uccess of this attempt at delivering goods that prompted the stores to decide to send out to-morrow nearly their full force of wagons.

Either because of the threatened appearance of the troops or because of the addition to the police force in the shape of deputy sheriffs, there was much less rioting and fighting in the downtown streets than on any day of this week. Express wagons, each one of which carried a guard armed with a rifle or a double-barreled gun, went to and fro between depots and express offices without interruption other than that of an occasional stone thrown from the sidewalk or of some missile hurled from a window. There was little of this, however, and the wagons were almost unmolested.

An order issued early in the day by Chief of Police O'Neill directing that all persons should be prevented from following wagons as they went through the streets, had much to do with the absence of rioting. While there was less rioting in the downtown streets, there were numerous assaults committed in all parts of the city remote from the principal business center. In several cases the drivers were beaten and their wagons overturned and the goods stolen. In other instances the drivers escaped injuries only by the fleetness of their horses.

Three coal wagons, after making a delivery at the factory of Selz, Schawb and Company, at Ohio and Kingsbury streets, late this afternoon were attacked by a crowd which pursued them for more than half a mile raining stones, bricks and bottle on the police officers and drivers. One woman was seen to throw several bricks and a glass tumbler from a window of a factory.

As the wagons continued down Ohio street they were targets for persons in the windows of all the buildings and for the crowd which continued to follow them. The mob was composed almost entirely of young men and women, the latter taking an active part in the rioting and urging the men to further violence.

Edward Lashem, president of the Lashem Teaming Company, was terribly beaten by union teamsters this afternoon at West Madison and Union streets. Lashem was driving one of his own wagons and was asked to show a union button. Before he was given a chance to explain that he was a team owner and therefore ineligible as a member of the Teamsters' Union, he was pulled from his wagon, knocked down and kicked. Police Lieutenant O'Connor went to Lashem's assistance in time to capture seven of his assailants. Lashem's condition is serious.

Edward Johnson, a colored porter in no way connected with the strike, was attacked at West Van Buren and Halsted streets to-night and beaten in the face with brass knuckles.

Sheriff Barrett to-night expressed the belief that the crisis of the strike was over and its backbone was broken.

The Hide and Leather Association, a member of the Team Owners' Association, to-day decided to make deliveries to all firms, regardless of whether they were involved in the strike. This firm handles all the merchandise of the greater part of the drug stores and boot and shoe manufacturers throughout Chicago, and should the teamsters decide to call out the union drivers employed by the firm it would affect 6,500 men.

Furniture manufacturers to-day resolved that all teamsters employed by them would make deliveries or be discharged. The Hastings Express Company, employing fifty drivers, to-day ordered its men to deliver goods wherever they were directed and on their refusal discharged them all.

BRADSTREETS' WEEKLY REPORT.

Bank Clearings Next to Largest on Record—Failures Less.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, May 5.—Bradstreet's to-morrow will say:

What might be termed a breathing spell in being taken in numerous lines of trade and industry pending the advent of settled weather, clearer views of the crop outturn and the settlement of the Chicago strike. Heavy rains or cool weather have retarded corn and cotton crop preparations and retail trade, but have rather favored winter wheat which fully holds the magnificent promise of a month ago while an increased area is certain in Spring wheat, which latter, however, needs more moisture. Iron and steel are rather quieter as regards new business and increased ease is noted in old material, pig iron and bars, but structural material is eagerly bid for and large orders for railway cars guarantee activity for the mills for months to come.

All statistical measures of trade progress point to general business showing satisfactory increases over preceeding years at this date. Bank clearings are of enormous volume, next to the largest ever recorded; failures are fewer and liabilities smaller than a year ago, railway earnings are indicative of a heavy tonnage movement, but money remains strikingly easy, considering present and recently past activity in trade and finance. Business failures for the week number 193 against 176 in the like week in 1904.

THE L. & N. RAILROAD IN ALABAMA INQUIRY

President Smith Gives Notice of Increased Rates on Coal — The Coast Line's Purchase Under Discussion.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Montgomery, Ala., May 5.—The Alabama Railroad Commission completed the hearing of the Louisville and Nashville railroad and the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway to-day in the investigation of freight rates in this States with a view of general revision.

The testimony of the Louisville and Nashville consumed the major portion of the time, during which president L. H. Smith and General Traffic Manager C. B. Compton were under examination. President Smith's statements were nearly all voluntary and purported to show the immense investments of his road in the State of Alabama since its history began in 1852. He told of how the entire properties were owned by an aggregation of the people and municipalities along the line until 1879, when, he said, they were unfortunately acquired by speculators. He admitted that two years thereafter the capital stock was increased from $9,000,000 to $18,000,000 and he characterized this proceeding very culpable.

He said, however, in the final justification of the road that since that time it has spent in Alabama developments more than the amount of the $9,000,000 of additional capital stock, which President B. B. Comer, of the Alabama Railroad Company, characterized as "watered." Mr. Smith said that it was a fortunate thing for the road and its patrons, that it is now impossible for speculators "to tamper with more than a minority of the stock."

Mr. Smith reiterated to-day his denial of President Comer's charges that when the Atlantic Coast Line, in 1902 acquired a majority of the Louisville and Nashville stock, there was found in its treasury a cash fund of $30,000,000. President Smith announced to the committee that it is the intention of his road on May 22d to increase the rate on domestic and steam coal from the Birmingham district to Anniston, Gadsden and Alabama City, from 50 cents to 70 cents per ton. He said he would like to do this with the acquiesence of the commission, but otherwise its enforcement will be attempted. In explanation he said it was true commercial necessity that the rate of 50 cents is to be raised.

BLACKSMITHS ON STRIKE.

One Non-Union Man Remains in N. & W. Railroad Shops.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Roanoke, Va., May 5.—One hundred and fifty union blacksmiths employed in the Roanoke shops of the Norfolk and Western went on strike to-day, leaving but one man in the department, and he, it is said, is responsible for the walk out, because he is a non-union man. The number of strikers will be increased by blacksmiths in others of the company's shops along the line of road road who are going out.

P. H. Cummins, general organizer of the American Federation of Labor and vice-president of the International Brotherhood of Blacksmiths and Helpers, has been here several weeks trying to adjust the difference, but has not been able to prevent a strike.

AGAIN CAROLINA WINS.

Chapel Hill Team Takes Another Game from Virginia.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Raleigh, N. C., May 5.—Again to-day the University of North Carolina at Greensboro defeated the University of Virginia by a score of 3 to 2. The game was called in Virginia.s last half of the ninth, ..ecame of a storm. Sitton for Carolina struck out eight, gave five bases on balls and yielded four hits. Pollard for Virginia struck out eight, gave one base on balls and yielded eleven hits. Virginia scored in the first and sixth on errors, and Carolina earned its three runs. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Carolina ....0 0 1 0 2 0 0 0—3	11	3	
Virginia ....1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—2	4	2	

Batteries: Sitton and Winston; Pollard and Chandler.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

American League.

Washington, 4; Philadelphia, 2.
Boston, 4; New York, 2.
Cleveland, 4; Chicago, 1.
St. Louis, 11; Detroit, 7.

National League.

Philadelphia, 4; Brooklyn, 7.
New York, 5; Boston, 1.
Pittsburg, 4; Cinvinnati, 2.
Chicago, 10; St. Louis, 6.

Southern League.

Nashville, 8; Atlanta, 1.
Birmingham, 9; Montgomery, 7.
Little ..ock, 11; Sureveport, 7.
New Orleans, 3; Memphis 1.

South Atlantic League.

Jacksonville, 3; Charleston, 0.
Macon, 1; Columbia, 2.
Savannah, 4; Augusta, 1.

French Leave.

The origin of the phrase "French leave" is traced back to a custom begun in France and imitated in England, common enough in the eighteenth century, of going away from a social gathering without taking formal leave of host and hostess.

This is abundantly clear from two extracts written in 1775. The first is from Chesterfield's "Principles of Politeness:" "As the taking what is called a French leave was introduced that on one person's leaving the company the rest may not be disturbed, looking at your watch does what that piece of politeness was designed to prevent."

So also Jekyll: "French etiquettes are precise to a degree. I will allow that taking French leave is easy and natural; but, on the contrary, there is more formality in entering one assembly here than in taking the round of routs for a whole winter in London."

As a disclaimer to this derivation the French, on their part, have the phrase, "se retirer a l'Anglaise"—"to take English leave"—with the same significance.

A Family of Influence.

"He seems to be quite an important personage now."

"Why, he always was, and so were the other members of his family."

"Nonsense."

"Not at all. He started as janitor in a flat, his brother is a policeman, and his sister is a cook lady."—Exchange.

Politeness is like an air cushion—there's nothing in it, but it eases the joints wonderfully.—Gannett.

Pleasures.

"Pleasures," said Uncle Eben, "is a good deal like mushrooms. De right kind is fine, but you has to be on de lookout foh toadstools."—Washington Star.

Everything is possible, but without labor and failure nothing is achieved.

FAST CRUISERS AFTER RUSSIANS

Torpedo Boats Sent With Them to Destroy Nebogatoff's War Ships.

ROJESTVENSKY TO RESCUE

Japs Aim to Knoc kOut Nebogatoff Before He Can Form Junction with Main Fleet—French Neutrality.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

Tokio, May 5.—Popular attention is not centered on the presence of the second Russian Pacific squadron in French waters. While the assurances of France relating to the Kamranh Bay incident were generally accepted, the latter discovery that the Russian ships continued their stay at Kamranh Bay, and then entered other French ports, has created a feeling of keen disappointment, rapidly growing deeply resentful. The local press charges France with bad faith and repeats the demands for independent action upon the part of the Japanese government. The conservative element is awaiting France's response in explanation, hoping that that government will finally expel the Russian Rear Admiral, Rojestvensky from its waters.

Russian's Feel at Home.

Paris, May 5.—The Japanese representatives here continue to make almost daily visits to the foreign office for the purpose of learning what steps are being taken to compel the Russian second Pacific squadron to maintain the neutrality of French waters, and also to present information reaching Tokio showing that the Russian warships are receiving supplies from ports. It appears to be conceded that they are outside the three mile limit so the question no longer hinges upon their being within French territorial waters. But the Japanese information indicates that the Russians, while they are outside neutral limits, keep up communication with the shore, thus retaining the practical advantages of remaining inside neutral waters.

Anxiety for Nebogatoff.

St. Petersburg, May 5.—1:55 P. M.—Admiral Rojestvensky, according to a high naval authority, has sailed south to meet the division of the Russian second Pacific squadron commanded by Admiral Nebogatoff. The admiralty has information that the Japanese division of fast cruisers and torpedo boat destroyers was sent south for the purpose, if possible, of crippling or destroying Nebogatoff's ships before they can effect a junction with those of Rojestvensky and there is reason to believe that the Japanese took up a position in the Straits of Sunda through which Nebogatoff originally intended to make the passage into the North sea. There is also reason to believe that Nebogatoff first approach the Straits of Sunda, but finding them too well guarded put about and head North for the Straits of Malacca, his division lacking the protection of fast cruisers and being at a great disadvantage in meeting torpedo boat attacks.

The admiralty expresses much gratification at the fact that Admiral Nebogatoff has successfully reached the China sea, but appreciates that the composition of his division renders it particularly vulnerable to a swift adversary, especially as the crews of his ships have not had the training in manoeuvering or the target practice which Admiral Rojestvensky's crews had while off the island of Madagascar, and the anxiety here will only be completely relieve when it is known that a junction has been effected.

The Russian armored cruiser Gromoboi, it is announced, has left Valdivostok.

Russian War Ships Weigh Anchor.

Saigon, Cochin China, May 5.—The Russian division near HonKohe Bay a short distance north of Kamranh Bay, was May 2nd, preparing to leave its moorings the following day. Admiral Rojestvensky had previously informed the French authorities of its proposed departure.

OSMAN STOCK COMPANY.

Pleased Jacksonville Audience With Strong Russian Play.

The Jacksonville (Fla.) Times-Union of April 11th says of the Osman Stock Company's performance of Tolstoi's great story of Russian Life, "Resurrection."

"The Osman Stock Co. presented "Ressurection" to a highly appreciative audience at the Duval Theatre last night in a very creditable manner.

This play has been looked upon with considerable askance at times, but in the hands of this company, who pride themselves in the cleanliness of their shows, had no objectionable features and was a wholesome lesson to both old and young. Miss Reicka showed up to a good advantage as the ruined peasant girl who, rises from the depths. Katoushka is no easy part and the applause which was given Miss Reick from time to time demonstrated the intelligent manner of her reading the same. Among the clever specialties last night was the acrobatic specialty of the "Addallah Trio."

The Osman Company will be the attraction at the Academy of Music all next week, opening Monday night in Blue Grass. Monday night ladies will be free under the usual conditions. Seats will be on sale at Plummer's this morning at 9 o'clock.

CONCERT MONDAY NIGHT.

Piano Club Arranges for Delighful Recital—The Programme.

Following is the programme for a delightful concert to be given Monday evening of the Elks' Temple by the Wilmington Piano Club, to which the public is invited:

Quartette ..."Merry Wives of Windsor." ..... Nicolai.
Miss Von Glahn, Mrs. Solomon.
Mrs. E. Schulken, Mrs. W. A. Snyder.
Piano Solo ...."Faschingsschwank," ..... Schuman.
Mrs. E. Schulken.
Vocal Solo....."Without Thee"..... ..... d'Handelot.
Mrs. A. DeR. Harris.
Piano Duo ...."Jubel Ouverture."..... ..... Van Weber.
Miss Hanson, Mrs. J. Theo. Runge.
Vocal Solo ...."My Dream"....Tosti
Mrs. Cameron McRae.
Piano Solo ..a."Waltz in E b."..... ..... Chopin.
b. "Evening Star"..Wagner-Lists.
Mrs. J. M. Coin.
Vocal Solo ...."For All Eternity"..... ..... Morcheron
Miss Rena Mills.
Piano Duo...."Concerts Stuck"..... ..... Von Weber.
Mrs. W. A. French, Mrs. Cameron McRae.

Tickets for the recital may be secured from any member of the Club.

AFTER TOBACCO TRUST WITH A SHARP STICK

Secretary Taft's Brother in Charge of Investigation—Order Issued to Compel Testimony of An Obstinate Witness.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, May 5.—It became known to-day that the Federal grand jury for some time past has been conducting a secret investigation into certain matters concerning the American Tobacco Company and its subsidiary companies. The investigation is being made by Henry W. Taft, brother of the Secretary of War, who has been appointed a special assistant United States attorney general. Mr. Faft is authority for the statement that the investigation is being made under the provision of anti-trust law.

The proceedings in the grand jury room were secret, but it became know that Edward F. Hale, secretary of Mc Andrews and Forbes Company, one of the subsidiary companies, refused to answer question when he was called, taking the ground that to do so would tend to incriminate and degrade him and that the answers would be so voluminous. When the grand jury filed a presentment before Judge Lacombe in the United States Circuit court, however, Hale was directed to reply to the questions.

It was through Hale's refusal to answer the questions that the fact that the investigation was in progress became public. The motion caleadar in Judge Lacombe's court had been completed when the grand jury filed into the court room. They were accompanied by Mr. Taft and Mr. Levy and with them, also were Lawyers John D. Lindsley and Delancey Nicoll, counsel for Hale.

Hale was brought in a moment later by United State Marshal Henkel. He was not under arrest, however. The foreman of the grand jury then handed the presentment to Judge Lacombe It contained a list of question which Mr. Taft informed the court Hale had refused to answer after appearing in obedience to a subpoena. The witness was instructed to answer the questions and the grand jury and witnesses returned to the jury room.

Mr. Taft later refused to discuss the nature of the investigation. The presentment, he said, would not be made public until after the examination of the witness is concluded.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcement By Wilmington Pastors For Their Pulpits To-morrow.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor: Sabbath Services at 11 A. M., and 8 P. M.; Sabbath School at 4 P. M.; W. C. E. Society at 7:25; Prayer Meeting and Lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public cordially invited; seats free.

Religious services will be conducted at the Seaman's Bethel to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, by Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D. Seaman and rivermen are especially invited. All are welcome.

First Presbyterian church, corner Third and Orange streets: Public worship to-morrow at 11 A. M., and 8 P. M. Preaching at both services by the pastor, Rev. J. M. Wells. Sunday School at 4 P. M.; Prayer Meeting Wednesday at 8 P. M. Our pews are free and all are cordially invited to these services.

Sunday services at First Baptist church: In Dr. Hale's absence, Mr. Mark Levy, will conduct the services at the First Baptist church on Sunday. "Christ and the Trinity in the Old Testament" will be the subject of the sermon in the morning; and the evening address will be, "The Power and Joy of Little Things in Christian Faith and Practice."

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

Transfers Which Appear From Deeds Filed For Record Yesterday.

William H. Chadbourn and wife to D. Russell Foster, for $1,750, property on west side of Fifth, 132 feet north of Bladen street, 66x165 feet in size.

W. C. Capps and wife to W. R. K. Slocumb, of Norfolk, for $1,299, property on south side of Queen street, 61 feet west of Fifth street, 66x52 feet in size.

T. H. McKoy and wife and others to Rebecca Anderson, of Ocala, Fla., for $10, quit claim deed to property on east side of Anderson, 66 feet south of Miller street, 66x330 feet in size.

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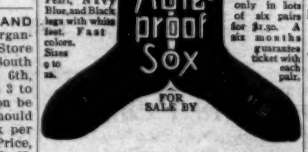

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